Miller, George Rothman Stupak Mollohan Roybal-Allard Sutton Moore (KS) Ruppersberger Tanner Moore (WI) Tauscher Moran (VA) Ryan (OH) Thompson (CA) Murphy (CT) Salazar Thompson (MS) Murphy, Patrick Sánchez, Linda Tierney Murtha Towns T. Nadler Sanchez, Loretta Udall (CO) Napolitano Sarbanes Udall (NM) Neal (MA) Schakowsky Van Hollen Schiff Oberstar Velázquez Obey Schwartz Visclosky Scott (VA) Walz (MN) Olver Ortiz Serrano Wasserman Pallone Sestak Schultz Waters Shea-Porter Pascrell Pastor Sherman Watt Pavne Sires Waxman Weiner Perlmutter Skelton Welch (VT) Peterson (MN) Slaughter Smith (WA) Price (NC) Wexler Wilson (OH) Rahall Snyder Rangel Solis Woolsey Space Wıı Reyes Rodriguez Spratt Wvnn Yarmuth Ross Stark

NAYS-199 Frelinghuysen Aderholt Gallegly Akin Garrett (NJ) Alexander Bachmann Gerlach Bachus Gilchrest Baker Gillmor Barrett (SC) Gingrey Bartlett (MD) Gohmert Barton (TX) Goode Goodlatte Biggert Bilbray Granger Bilirakis Graves Bishop (UT) Hall (TX) Blackburn Hastert Hastings (WA) Blunt Boehner Hayes Bonner Heller Hensarling Bono Boozman Herger Hobson Boustany Brady (TX) Hoekstra. Brown (SC) Hulshof Brown-Waite. Hunter Ginny Inglis (SC) Buchanan Tssa. Jindal Burgess Burton (IN) Johnson (IL) Buver Johnson, Sam Calvert Jordan Camp (MI) Keller Campbell (CA) King (IA) Cantor King (NY) Capito Kingston Carter Kirk Castle Kline (MN) Chabot Knollenberg Kucinich Coble Cole (OK) Kuhl (NY) Conaway LaHood Crenshaw Lamborn Cubin Latham Culberson LaTourette Davis (KY) Lewis (CA) Davis, David Lewis (KY) Davis, Jo Ann Linder Davis, Tom LoBiondo Deal (GA) Lucas Lungren, Daniel Dent Diaz-Balart, L. Mack Diaz-Balart, M Doolittle Manzullo Drake Marchant Dreier Marshall McCarthy (CA) Duncan McCaul (TX) Ehlers Emerson McCotter English (PA) McCrerv Everett McHenry Fallin McHugh Feeney McKeon Ferguson Mica Flake Miller (FL) Forbes Miller (MI) Miller, Gary Fortenberry

Mitchell

Moran (KS)

Murphy, Tim

Fossella

Franks (AZ)

Foxx

Wolf

Young (AK)

Young (FL)

Paul Pearce Pence Peterson (PA) Pickering Pitts Platts Poe Porter Price (GA) Pryce (OH) Putnam Radanovich Ramstad Regula Rehberg Reichert Renzi Reynolds Rogers (AL) Rogers (KY) Rohrabacher Ros-Lehtinen Roskam Royce Ryan (WI) Sali Saxton Schmidt Sensenbrenner Sessions Shadegg Shays Shimkus Shuler Shuster Simpson Smith (NE) Smith (N.I) Smith (TX) Stearns Sullivan Tancredo Tavlor Terry Thornberry Tiahrt Tiberi Turner Upton Walberg Walden (OR) Walsh (NY) Wamp Weldon (FL) Weller Whitfield Wicker Wilson (NM) Wilson (SC)

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Neugebauer

Myrick

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NOT VOTING-14

Berman Fattah Rogers (MI) Brady (PA) McMorris Scott (GA) Rodgers Souder Cannon Carnev Petri Watson Westmoreland Engel Pomeroy

ANNOUNCEMENT BY THE SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE The SPEAKER pro tempore (during the vote). Members are advised there are 2 minutes remaining in this vote.

□ 1534

So the resolution was agreed to. The result of the vote was announced as above recorded.

A motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

MOTION TO RESOLVE INTO SECRET SESSION

Mr. FLAKE. Mr. Speaker, pursuant to clause 9 of rule XVII, I offer a privileged motion.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Clerk will report the motion.

The Clerk read as follows:

Pursuant to clause 9 of rule XVII of the rules of the House of Representatives, Mr. Flake moves that the House be cleared of all persons except the Members, Delegates, Resident Commissioner, and officers of the House to consider communications which he believes should be kept secret for the present.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The question is on the motion offered by the gentleman from Arizona FLAKE).

The question was taken; and the Speaker pro tempore announced that the noes appeared to have it.

RECORDED VOTE

Mr. FLAKE. Mr. Speaker, I demand a recorded vote.

A recorded vote was ordered.

The vote was taken by electronic device, and there were—ayes 207, noes 217, not voting 8, as follows:

[Roll No. 328]

AYES-207

Aderholt Cantor Fortenberry Akin Capito Fossella Alexander Carney Foxx Bachmann Carter Franks (AZ) Frelinghuvsen Bachus Castle Baker Chabot Gallegly Barrett (SC) Coble Cole (OK) Garrett (NJ) Barrow Gerlach Bartlett (MD) Conaway Giffords Barton (TX) Cooper Gilchrest Crenshaw Gillmor Bean Biggert Cubin Gingrey Bilbray Culberson Gohmert Bilirakis Davis (KY) Goode Bishop (UT) Davis, David Goodlatte Blackburn Davis, Jo Ann Granger Blunt Davis, Tom Graves Boehner Deal (GA) Hall (TX) Bonner Dent Hastert Diaz-Balart, L. Bono Hastings (WA) Boozman Diaz-Balart, M. Hayes Boustany Doolittle Heller Brady (TX) Drake Hensarling Hobson Brown (SC) Brown-Waite, Dreier Hoekstra Duncan Ginny Ehlers Hulshof Hunter Inglis (SC) Buchanan Emerson English (PA) Burgess Burton (IN) Everett Issa Buyer Fallin Jindal Johnson (IL) Calvert Feeney Camp (MI) Ferguson Johnson, Sam Campbell (CA) Flake Jones (NC) Jordan Cannon Forbes

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NOES-217

Abercrombie Etheridge Ackerman Farr Allen Filner Frank (MA) Altmire Andrews Gillibrand Arcuri Gonzalez Baca Gordon Baird Green, Al Baldwin Green, Gene Becerra Grijalva Berkley Gutierrez Hall (NY) Berman Berry Hare Bishop (GA) Harman Hastings (FL) Bishop (NY) Herseth Sandlin Blumenauer Boren Higgins Boswell Hill Boucher Hinchey Boyd (FL) Hinoiosa Boyda (KS) Hirono Braley (IA) Hodes Brown Corrine Holden Butterfield Holt Honda Capps Capuano Hooley Cardoza Hoyer Carnahan Inslee Carson Israel Castor Jackson (IL) Chandler Jackson-Lee (TX) Clarke Clay Jefferson Cleaver Johnson (GA) Clyburn Johnson, E. B. Jones (OH) Cohen Convers Kagen Kanjorski Costa Costello Kaptur Courtney Kennedy Kildee Cramer Crowley Kilpatrick Cuellar Kind Klein (FL) Cummings Davis (AL) Kucinich Davis (CA) Lampson Langevin Davis (IL) Davis, Lincoln Lantos Larsen (WA) DeFazio DeGette Larson (CT) Delahunt Lee Levin Dicks Dingell Lewis (GA) Doggett Lipinski Donnelly Loebsack Doyle Lofgren, Zoe Edwards Lowey Ellison Lynch Ellsworth Mahoney (FL) Emanuel Maloney (NY) Eshoo Markey

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Sherman

Shuler Taylor Waters Thompson (CA) Sires Watt Skelton Thompson (MS) Waxman Slaughter Tierney Weiner Smith (WA) Towns Welch (VT) Snyder Udall (CO) Wexler Udall (NM) Solis Wilson (OH) Spratt Van Hollen Woolsey Stark Velázquez Stupak Visclosky Wvnn Sutton Walz (MN) Varmuth Tanner Wasserman Schultz Tauscher

NOT VOTING-8

Brady (PA) Herger McMorris DeLauro Engel Fattah Souder

Watson

ANNOUNCEMENT BY THE SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE The SPEAKER pro tempore (during the vote). Members are advised that 2 minutes remain in this vote.

□ 1553

So the motion to resolve into secret session was rejected.

The result of the vote was announced as above recorded.

A motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

AMENDMENT PROCESS FOR CON-SIDERATION OF H.R. 1585, NA-TIONAL DEFENSE AUTHORIZA-TION ACT FOR FISCAL YEAR 2008

(Mr. McGOVERN asked and was given permission to address the House for 1 minute.)

Mr. McGOVERN. Mr. Speaker, the Rules Committee is expected to meet Tuesday, May 15, 2007, to grant a rule which may structure the amendment process for floor consideration of H.R. 1585, the National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2008.

Members who wish to offer an amendment to this bill should submit 30 copies of the amendment and a brief description of the amendment to the Rules Committee in H-312 in the Capitol no later than 5 p.m. on Monday, May 14. Members are strongly advised to adhere to the amendment deadline to ensure the amendments receive consideration.

Amendments should be drafted to the bill as ordered reported by the Committee on Armed Services. A copy of that bill will be posted on the Web site of the Rules Committee tomorrow, May 11.

Amendments should be drafted by Legislative Counsel and also should be reviewed by the Office of the Parliamentarian to be sure that the amendments comply with the rules of the House. Members are strongly encouraged to submit their amendments to the Congressional Budget Office for analysis regarding possible PAYGO violations.

REMOVAL OF NAMES OF MEM-BERS AS COSPONSORS OF H.R. 1419

Mr. POMEROY. Mr. Speaker, there was a mistake by which some Members were inadvertently added as cosponsors

to a bill, and now I would ask unanimous consent to remove these cosponsors from H.R. 1419:

Mr. Hinojosa Mr. Conaway

Mr. LINCOLN DIAZ-BALART of Florida

Mr. Bachus Mr. HOLT Ms. Matsui

Mr. Rohrabacher

Mr. Skelton

Mr. Petri

Mr. WILSON of South Carolina

Mr. Rehberg

Mr. Feeney

The SPEAKER pro tempore (Mr. TIERNEY). Is there objection to the request of the gentleman from North Dakota?

There was no objection.

PROVIDING FOR REDEPLOYMENT OF UNITED STATES ARMED FORCES AND DEFENSE CON-TRACTORS FROM IRAQ

Mr. OBEY. Mr. Speaker, pursuant to House Resolution 387, I called up the bill (H.R. 2237) to provide for the redeployment of United States Armed Forces and defense contractors from Iraq, and ask for its immediate consideration.

The Clerk read the title of the bill. The text of the bill is as follows:

H.R. 2237

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled.

SECTION 1. REDEPLOYMENT OF UNITED STATES ARMED FORCES AND DEFENSE CONTRACTORS FROM IRAQ.

(a) COMMENCEMENT OF REDEPLOYMENT. Not later than 90 days after the date of the enactment of this Act, the Secretary of Defense shall commence the redeployment of units and members of the Armed Forces deployed in Iraq as part of Operation Iraqi Freedom and contractors operating in Iraq and funded using amounts appropriated to the Department of Defense.

(b) COMPLETION OF REDEPLOYMENT.—The Secretary of Defense shall complete the redeployment of the Armed Forces and defense contractors from Iraq within 180 days beginning on the date of the commencement of the redeployment required under subsection

(c) PROHIBITION ON USE OF FUNDS TO IN-CREASE ARMED FORCES SERVING IN IRAQ.-Funds appropriated or otherwise made available to the Department of Defense under any provision of law may not be obligated or expended to increase the number of members of the Armed Forces serving in Iraq in excess of the number of members serving in Iraq as of January 1, 2007, unless the increase has been specifically authorized in advance by an Act of Congress.

(d) AUTHORITY TO DETERMINE LOCATIONS OUTSIDE OF IRAQ FOR REDEPLOYMENT.—Nothing in this section shall be construed to restrict the locations outside of Iraq to which units and members of the Armed Forces redeployed from Iraq may be transferred, including redeployment to an adjacent or nearby country at the invitation of the government of the country or redeployment to bolster military forces deployed in Afghanistan as part of Operation Enduring Freedom.

(e) AUTHORITY TO RETAIN ARMED FORCES IN IRAQ FOR LIMITED PURPOSES.—The Secretary of Defense may retain in Iraq members of the Armed Forces for the purpose of providing security for the United States Embassy and other United States diplomatic missions in Iraq; protecting American citizens, including members of the Armed Forces; serving in roles consistent with customary diplomatic positions; engaging in targeted special actions limited in duration and scope to killing or capturing members of al-Qaeda and other terrorist organizations with global reach; and training and equipping members of the Iraqi Security Forces. At the request of the Government of Iraq, the Secretary of Defense may retain in Iraq members of the Army Corps of Engineers and defense contractors engaged in reconstruction projects in Iraq, to the extent necessary to complete such projects.

(f) AVAILABILITY OF FUNDS FOR SAFE AND ORDERLY REDEPLOYMENT.—Notwithstanding any other provision of law, funds appropriated or otherwise made available in any Act are immediately available for obligation and expenditure to plan and execute a safe and orderly redeployment of the Armed Forces and defense contractors from Iraq, as required by this section.

(g) TRANSFER OF UNITED STATES MILITARY FACILITIES IN IRAQ.—The President of the United States shall transfer to the Government of Iraq all right, title, and interest held by the United States in any military facility in Iraq that was constructed, repaired, or improved using amounts appropriated to the Department of Defense and occupied by a unit of the Armed Forces.

(h) PROHIBITION ON USE OF FUNDS TO FUR-THER DEPLOY UNITED STATES ARMED FORCES TO IRAQ.—Beginning on the date of the completion of the redeployment of the Armed Forces from Iraq under subsection (b), funds appropriated or otherwise made available under any provision of law may not be obligated or expended to further deploy units or members of the Armed Forces to Iraq, including through participation in any multinational force in Iraq, except as provided under subsection (e) or unless such deployment of units or members of the Armed Forces is specifically authorized in advance

by an Act of Congress.
(i) Assistance to Iraqi Security Forces AND MULTINATIONAL FORCES IN IRAQ.—Nothing in this section shall be construed to prohibit or otherwise restrict the use of funds available to the Department of Defense for the purpose of providing financial assistance or equipment to the Iraqi Security Forces or multinational forces providing security or training in Iraq at the request of the Government of Iraq.

(j) CONTINUATION OF DIPLOMATIC, SOCIAL, AND ECONOMIC RECONSTRUCTION ACTIVITIES IN IRAQ.—Nothing in this section shall be construed to prohibit or otherwise restrict the use of funds available to any department or agency of the United States (other than the Department of Defense) to carry out diplomatic, social, and economic reconstruction activities in Iraq at the request of the Government of Iraq.

(k) ASYLUM OR OTHER MEANS OF PROTEC-TION FOR IRAQI CITIZENS.—Nothing in this section shall be construed to prohibit or otherwise restrict the authority of the President to arrange asylum or other means of protection for Iraqi citizens who might be physically endangered by the redeployment of the Armed Forces from Iraq.

(1) DEFINITION.—In this section, the term "Armed Forces" has the meaning given the term in section 101(a)(4) of title 10, United States Code.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Pursuant to House Resolution 387, the gentleman from Wisconsin (Mr. OBEY) and the gentleman from California (Mr. LEWIS) each will control 30 minutes.